

Jet Ski and PWC Dock Alternatives to Antifouling



Fans of personal watercraft will know how annoying it can be to have to antifoul their vehicle or remove it from the water each time in order protect the hull from aquatic organisms growing on it, as well as to help prevent the hull from corroding. Other than antifouling paint, there are a limited number of things you can do to protect your vehicle, but there are a couple of choices.

Floating Docks

[Jet Ski Floating Docks](#) are one of the most popular solutions as they fit the criteria needed for most users and have none of the negative factors of Jet Ski lifts. You can simply drive the PWC onto the floating dock, made of many floating bricks, and reverse off of it whenever you wish to use it again. Lifts will normally make the centre of gravity for crafts so high that there is a possibility of it overturning in strong weather. Due to the low profile of the FloatBricks, most local councils do not have the same issue as they do with lifts. There are many different sizes available, with the basic model measuring only 3.5m by 1.5m. Larger versions are available with space to walk around or even a solution for more than one PWC. They support most crafts under 1300 kilograms in weight and 6 metres in length.

Larger Crafts

If you have a vehicle larger than is suitable for FloatBricks, you could possibly make use of a Sea Pen dry dock. The vehicle is at water-level and these docks are perfect for marinas that do not allow boat lifts. When the Sea Pen is in the berth, you can automatically open it and drive your vehicle into it. When closed, it will pump all the water out of the dock and allow your boat to dry. If a wave spills over the edge, the pump will automatically remove the water and allow it to dry again.